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To: Dyroff, Colin [dyroff.colin@epa.gov]; Bates, William [bates.william@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Primacy and Class VI funding

Thank you

I told PA that things were still being worked out at this point, just wanted to make sure I was up to date on everything
As always thank you for the quick reply Colin

From: Dyroff, Colin <dyroff.colin@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, May 10, 2022 1:40 PM
To: Bennett, James <bennett.james@epa.gov>; Bates, William <bates.william@epa.gov>
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Hi Jim,

We are still in the early stages and don't have much info to share. We are anticipate engaging with the states soon as we develop the grant program.

Regarding potential amounts, we need to gather more data on typical costs to states before we can narrow down the range. According to the Colorado Oil & Gas Conservation Commission's November 2021 report titled *Requirements, Resources, Considerations, and Recommendations for the State of Colorado to Implement a Safe and Effective UIC Class VI Program*: "GWPC estimated that North Dakota expended approximately \$270,000 to attain primacy". We have also not decided on the approach to be used to implement the grant. One option is an allocation formula, and another option is to put out a request for applications and have states apply for funding based on need in the state.

Thanks,
Colin

From: Bennett, James <bennett.james@epa.gov>
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Pennsylvania is expressing early interest in questioning the primacy application process. One of their questions related to the amount they may be eligible for in order to develop Class VI primacy under the BIL.

Can you point me to the latest and greatest in terms of where the UIC program is in the ability for States to apply for this opportunity?



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